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Re: CC Docket No. 96-98; IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Implementation Plans Filed
by Local Exchange Carriers

Dear Ms. Salas:

CTC Communications Corp. and CTC Communications of Virginia, Inc. (collectively "CTC"), by their undersigned counsel, and pursuant to § 1.419 of the Commission's rules, submit an original and four (4) copies of this request for an extension of time until Monday, July 26, 1999, to file a response to AT&T Corp.'s Comments on Dialing Parity Plans filed in the above-referenced proceeding. As explained below, CTC seeks additional time to review and respond to AT&T's Comments because CTC did not receive a copy of AT&T's Comments until Friday, July 16, 1999.

Please date-stamp the extra copy of this filing and return it to us. Any questions or concerns regarding the enclosed application should be addressed to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Harry N. Malone
Counsel for CTC Communications Corp. and
CTC Communications of Virginia, Inc.

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**Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of

Implementation of the Local Competition)
Provisions in the Telecommunications)
Act of 1996)
IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Implementation)
Plans Filed by Local Exchange Carriers)

CC Docket No. 96-98

Public Notice DA 99-1256

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

CTC Communications Corp. and CTC Communications of Virginia, Inc. (collectively "CTC"), by their attorneys, and pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.46, respectfully request an extension of time until July 26, 1999 to file a reply to the comments of AT&T Corp. in the above-captioned proceeding. Reply comments currently are due July 19, 1999. As explained below, CTC seeks additional time to review and respond to AT&T's Comments because CTC did not receive a copy of AT&T's Comments until Friday, July 16, 1999.

Pursuant to the Commission's Public Notice DA 99-1256 (released June 24, 1999), comments on the intraLATA toll dialing parity plans filed by CTC were due on July 6, 1999. Reply comments were due July 12, 1999. These dates were subsequently extended to July 12, 1999, and July 19, 1999, respectively.¹ AT&T filed its comments on various dialing parity plans, including CTC's, on July 7, 1999 but, contrary to the Commission's rules,² did not serve a copy of its comments on CTC. Moreover, CTC was unable to retrieve AT&T's Comments from the

¹ Public Notice, DA 99-1326 (July 2, 1999).

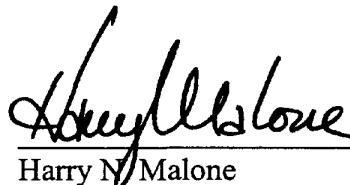
² 47 C.F.R. § 51.213(d)(1)(ii).

Commission until Friday, July 16, 1999. For these reasons, CTC requests an additional seven (7) calendar days in which to review and respond to AT&T's Comments.

A brief extension would serve the public interest by permitting CTC to more effectively participate in this proceeding and to provide a complete record on which the Commission can base a final decision. In addition, a brief additional extension would not unduly delay the outcome of this proceeding or prejudice any party.

Accordingly, CTC respectfully requests an extension of time to file comments and reply comments in this proceeding until July 26, 1999.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Harry N. Malone", is written over a horizontal line.

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Dated: July 19, 1999

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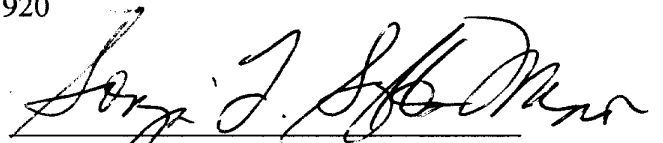
I hereby certify that on this 19th day of July 1999, copies of the foregoing
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